



San Joaquin Valley
AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DISTRICT



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Gerardo C. Rios, Chief
Permits Office (AIR-3)
U.S. EPA - Region IX
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San Francisco, CA 94105

**Re: Notice of Final Action - Minor Title V Permit Modification
District Facility # S-377
Project # S-1110837**

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Sincerely,



David Warner
Director of Permit Services

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PERMIT UNIT: S-377-49-3

EXPIRATION DATE: 10/31/2016

EQUIPMENT DESCRIPTION:

COATING OPERATION FOR CARBON STEEL SUBSTRATES USING ELECTROSTATIC SPRAY GUN, A PAINT SPRAY BOOTH WITH DRY EXHAUST FILTERS, AND AN ENCLOSED GUN CLEANER

PERMIT UNIT REQUIREMENTS

1. No air contaminant shall be discharged into the atmosphere for a period or periods aggregating more than three minutes in any one hour which is as dark as, or darker than, Ringelmann 1 or 20% opacity. [District Rule 4101] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
2. No air contaminant shall be released into the atmosphere which causes a public nuisance. [District Rule 4102]
3. Particulate matter emissions shall not exceed 0.1 grains/dscf in concentration. [District Rule 4201] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
4. VOC emissions from the coating operation shall not exceed 23.7 lb/day or 1,539 lb/year. [District Rule 2201] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
5. Particulate matter (PM10) emission rate (including painting and priming) shall not exceed 5.8 lb/day or 376 lb/year. [District Rule 2201] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
6. The metal parts and products coating operation shall not be operated more than 16 hours/day. [District Rule 2201] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
7. Only HVLP, electrostatic, electrodeposition, flow, roll, dip, brush or continuous coating application equipment shall be used, and the application equipment shall be operated in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations. [District Rule 4603] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
8. Permittee shall demonstrate that HVLP guns manufactured prior to 1/1/96 operate between 0.1 and 10 psig air atomizing pressure, by manufacturer's published technical material or by use of a certified air pressure tip gauge. [District Rule 4603] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
9. VOC content of any coatings as applied, excluding water and exempt compounds, used for any metal parts or product shall not exceed the following limit: air-dried coating: 340 g/l (2.8 lb/gal). [District Rules 2201 and 4603] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
10. VOC content of solvents used shall not exceed any of the following limits: product cleaning during manufacturing process or surface preparation for coating application: 25 g/l (0.21 lb/gal), repair and maintenance cleaning: 25 g/l (0.21 lb/gal), and cleaning of coating application equipment: 25 g/l (0.21 lb/gal). [District Rule 4603] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit

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Facility Name: PARAMOUNT FARMS

Location: 3.5 MILES NORTH OF HWY 46 ON HWY 33, LOST HILLS, CA

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11. Cleaning activities that use solvents with a VOC content greater than 25 g/l (0.21 lb/gallon) shall be performed by one or more of the following methods: wipe cleaning; application of solvent from hand-held spray bottles from which solvents are dispensed without a propellant-induced force; non-atomized solvent flow method in which the cleaning solvent is collected in a container or a collection system which is closed except for solvent collection openings and, if necessary, openings to avoid excessive pressure build-up inside the container; or solvent flushing method in which the cleaning solvent is discharged into a container that is closed except for solvent collection openings and, if necessary, openings to avoid excessive pressure build-up inside the container. The discharged solvent from the equipment must be collected into containers without atomizing into the open air. The solvent may be flushed through the system by air or hydraulic pressure, or by pumping. [District Rule 4603] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
12. All painting, including application of primer, shall be conducted inside the booth with filters in place, fan(s) operating, and doors closed [District Rule 2201] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
13. Permittee shall not use VOC containing materials to clean spray equipment unless an enclosed system, or equipment proven to be equally effective at controlling emissions, is used for cleaning. If an enclosed system is used, it must totally enclose spray guns, cups, nozzles, bowls and other parts during washing, rinsing and draining procedures, and it must be used according to the manufacturer's recommendations and must be closed when not in use. [District Rule 4603] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
14. The permittee shall dispose the fresh or spent solvents, waste solvent cleaning material such as cloth, paper, etc., coatings, adhesives, catalysts, and thinners in closed, non-absorbent and non-leaking containers. The containers shall remain closed at all times except when depositing or removing the contents of the containers or when the container is empty [District Rule 4603] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
15. Permittee shall maintain daily records of the following: hours of operation of the coating operation and use of the natural gas-fired drying burner; volume of coatings applied; VOC content of each coating as applied; and purchase and usage of each specific solvent, showing the date, type and volume purchased or used. [District Rules 2201 and 4603] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
16. Permittee shall keep the following records for solvent cleaning activities: manufacturers product data sheet or MSDS of solvents used, VOC content of solvents in g/l or lb/gal, and the type of cleaning activity for which each solvent is used. [District Rules 2201 and 4603] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
17. The material safety data sheets (MSDS) that display VOC content of each coating used shall be kept on the premise at all times [District Rule 4603] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
18. Records shall be retained on-site for a minimum of five years and made available for District inspection upon request. [District Rules 2201 and 4603] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit

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